Modification history

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| Release | Comments |
| Release 1 | This version released with AMP Australian Meat Processing Training Package release 9.0. |

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| AMPCRP209 | Singe carcase |
| Application | This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to singe a small stock carcase as part of the carcase dressing procedures.  This unit applies to those who work under general supervision in meat processing premises, who are required to singe the skin of pig or goat carcases either manually or by monitoring an automated process.  All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, according to state/territory health and safety and food safety regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace.  No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.  Mandatory workplace requirements apply to the assessment of this unit. |
| Pre-requisite Unit | Nil |
| Unit Sector | Carcase Processing (CRP) |

| Elements | Performance Criteria |
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| Elements describe the essential outcomes. | Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. |
| 1. Prepare for work | 1.1 Identify work instruction and quality assurance requirements for singeing, and clarify where required  1.2 Identify workplace health and safety requirements for task, including personal protective equipment  1.3 Prepare equipment for singeing where required |
| 2. Remove carcase hair | 2.1 Perform start-up procedures for singeing equipment  2.2 Perform singe operation following work instructions and workplace health and safety requirements  2.3 Monitor effectiveness of singe operation  2.4 Report problems with singeing to the supervisor following workplace requirements |

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| Foundation Skills  This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria. | |
| Skill | Description |
| Reading | * Interpret key elements of workplace instructions |
| Oral communication | * Interact with team members and/or supervisor to ensure flow of work is maintained * Ask questions to clarify instructions |

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| Unit Mapping Information | | | |
| Code and title current release | Code and title previous release | Comments | Equivalence status |
| AMPCRP209 Singe carcase | AMPA2022 Singe carcase | Unit code updated  Unit sector code added  Unit application updated  Performance Criteria clarified  Foundation Skills added  Assessment Requirements re-worded for clarity  Mandatory workplace requirements clarified | Equivalent |

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| TITLE | Assessment requirements for AMPCRP209 Singe carcase |
| Performance Evidence | |
| An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.  There must be evidence that the individual has singed small stock carcases as part of the dressing procedures, following workplace requirements, in a micro or larger meat processing premises.  **In micro meat processing premises**  The assessor must observe the individual working on a minimum of six carcases. Where more than one small stock species is being processed, the assessor must observe the individual working on all species to a total of six carcases.  There must also be evidence that the individual has completed two shifts on the job, fulfilling workplace requirements (these shifts may include normal rotations into and out of the relevant work task).  **In larger meat processing premises**  The assessor must observe the individual working on a minimum of 20 carcases or for 15 minutes, whichever comes first.  There must also be evidence that the individual has completed two shifts on the job, fulfilling workplace requirements (these shifts may include normal rotations into and out of the relevant work task).  Mandatory workplace requirements  All performance evidence specified above must be demonstrated in a meat processing premises. | |

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| Knowledge Evidence |
| An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:   * purpose of singeing * workplace requirements for singeing * quality assurance requirements for hair removal * workplace health and safety hazards encountered with singeing, and how the associated risks are managed. |

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| Assessment Conditions |
| Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:   * physical conditions:   *skills must be demonstrated in a meat processing premises at workplace production speed*   * resources, equipment and materials:   *personal protective equipment*  *carcases for singeing*  *equipment for singeing*   * specifications:   *task-related documents*   * personnel   *access to team members* *and workplace supervisor or mentor*.  Assessment for this unit must include at least three forms of evidence.  Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.  **Mandatory workplace requirements**  Mandatory workplace requirements are shown in *italic* text. Refer to the Companion Volume Implementation Guide for further information. |

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